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Art Unit: 1647

Serial No.: 08/879,469

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Filed: June 20, 1997

Customer No.: 21559

Title: RECOMBINANT HUMAN ALPHA-FETOPROTEIN AS A CELL
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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.321(b), Martinex R&D, Inc., the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in the above-referenced application seeks to disclaim the terminal portion of the term of the patent to be granted on the application. This terminal disclaimer is binding on the grantee and its successors or assigns.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.321(b)(1), this terminal disclaimer is signed by an attorney of record.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.321(b)(2), Martinex R&D, Inc., hereby waives and

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above-identified application subsequent to the expiration date of U.S. Patent Nos. 5,965,528 and 6,288,034 B1. Martinex R&D, Inc., does not disclaim any terminal part of any patent granted on the above-identified application prior to the expiration date of the full statutory term of U.S. Patent Nos. 5,965,528 and 6,288,034 B1 in the event that they later: expire for failure to pay a maintenance fee, are held unenforceable, are found invalid, are statutorily disclaimed in whole or terminally disclaimed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.321, have all claims canceled by a reexamination certificate, or are otherwise terminated prior to expiration of their statutory term, except for the separation of legal title as stated above.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.321(b)(3) and § 3.73(b), the undersigned attorney of record certifies that Martinex R&D, Inc., a corporation, is the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in the above application by virtue of:

■ A chain of title from the inventor of the patent application identified above, which is a continuation of U.S. Serial No. 08/377,316, abandoned, to the current assignee, is shown below. A copy of the assignment or other documents in the chain of title are attached.

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The undersigned attorney of record has reviewed all the documents in the chain of title of the above-referenced application and to the best of the undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in Martinex R&D, Inc.

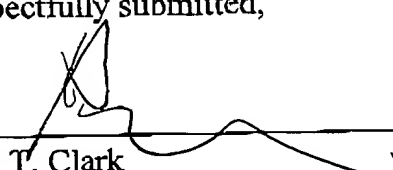
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Respectfully submitted,

Date: March 13, 2003


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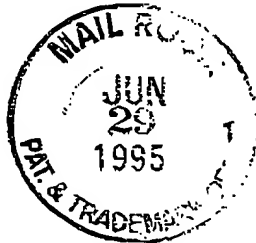
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ASSIGNMENT

For valuable consideration, I, Robert A. Murgita, of Montreal, Canada hereby assign to McGill University, a Canada corporation having a place of business at Montreal, Canada, and its successors and assigns (collectively hereinafter called "the Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest throughout the world in the inventions and improvements which are subject of an application for United States Patent signed by me this day, entitled RECOMBINANT HUMAN ALPHA-FETOPROTEIN A CELL PROLIFERATIVE AGENT, U.S.S.N. 08/377,316 filed January 24, 1995.

this assignment including said application, any and all United States and foreign patents, utility models, and design registrations granted for any of said inventions or improvements, and the right to claim priority based on the filing date of said application under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the Patent Cooperation Treaty, the European Patent Convention, and all other treaties of like purposes; and I authorize the Assignee to apply in all countries in my name or in its own name for patents, utility models, design registrations and like rights of exclusion and for inventors' certificates for said inventions and improvements; and I agree for me and my respective heirs, legal representatives and assigns, without further compensation to perform such lawful acts and to sign such further applications, assignments, Preliminary Statements and other lawful documents as the Assignee may reasonably request to effectuate fully this assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at Boston, MA

this 14th day of June, 1995

Robert A. Murgita

[Signature]

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OF CANADA:

Before me this 14th day of June, 1995, personally appeared Robert A. Murgita known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Assignment and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed for the purposes therein contained.

[Signature]
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 9/12/97

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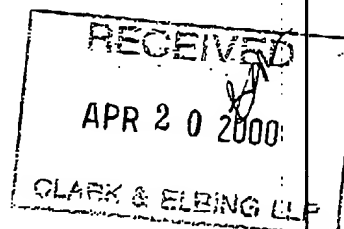
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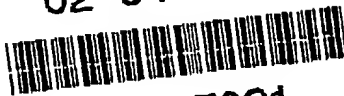
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THIS MEMORANDUM OF ASSIGNMENT EXECUTED IN THE
CITY AND DISTRICT OF MONTREAL, PROVINCE OF QUEBEC

BY AND BETWEEN: MCGILL UNIVERSITY, a royal charter
corporation, operating a university
institution, and having its principal office
at 845 Sherbrooke Street West, in the City
and District of Montreal, Province of Quebec,

Hereinafter referred to as "McGill".

AND: MARTINEX R&D INC., a company established
under the laws of Quebec, having its office
at 550 Sherbrooke Street West, in the City
and District of Montreal, Province of Quebec,

Hereinafter referred to as "Martinex".

WHEREAS, McGill University is the employer of the creators
of the property hereinbelow assigned ("Property");

WHEREAS, McGill University is the exclusive owner of the
Property;

WHEREAS, the Office of Technology Transfer (OTT) of McGill
University has been instrumental in applying the standard option,
protecting the intellectual property in the Property and
preparing it for commercialization;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE PARTIES AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

1. For valuable consideration, McGill University and its
successors and assigns ("Assignor") hereby assigns to Martinex or
its nominee ("Assignee") the entire right, title and interest in
the Property, which includes without restriction the real,
personal and intellectual property therein throughout the world
and which is the subject of an application for United States
Patent Ser. No. 08/377,316, filed January 24, 1995, entitled
RECOMBINANT HUMAN ALPHA-FETOPROTEIN AS A CELL PROLIFERATIVE
AGENT, this assignment including said application, any and all
copyrights, trademarks and foreign patents utility models, and
design registrations granted for any of said inventions or
improvements, and the right to claim priority based on the filing
date of said application under the International Convention for
the Protection of Industrial Property, the Patent Cooperation
Treaty, the European Patent Convention, and all other treaties of
like purposes;

2. McGill University authorizes the Assignee to apply in
all countries in its name or in its own name for copyrights,
trademarks, patents, utility models, design registrations and
like rights of exclusion and for inventors certificates for said

inventions and improvements; and without further compensation to perform such lawful acts and to sign such further applications, assignments, Preliminary Statements and other lawful documents as the Assignee may reasonably request to give full effect to this assignment;

3. The parties expressly desire that the present agreement and all accessory documents be drafted in English language only. Les parties aux présentes ont expressément demandé que la présente entente et les documents accessoires soient rédigés en langue anglaise.

IN WITNESS WHEREFORE THE PRESENT PARTIES HAVE EXECUTED THE PRESENT AGREEMENT.

MCGILL UNIVERSITY

Per: 

James Albright
Director
Office of Technology Transfer

Date: July 17, 1995


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Date: July 13, 1995

MARTINEX R&D INC.

Per: 

Lazar Sarna

Date: June 29, 1995


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Date: June 29, 1995